GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
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ALLOTMENT OF COAL BLOCKS
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the companies which have been allotted coal blocks during the year 2006-07;

(b) the action taken against the companies which have not started production in spite of allotment of coal blocks;

(c) the companies which have already started production;

(d) whether these companies have been authorized to sell coal to other companies; and

(e) if so, the names of companies and the amount of coal that is being sold by the private coal producing companies every year?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (DR. DASARINARAYANA RAO)

(a): The names of the companies which have been allocated coal blocks from 01.04.2006 to till date are given below:

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1 Vl/s Essar Power Ltd, 2 Hindalco Co. Industries 3 Vl/s Rungta Mines Limited 4 M/s Ocean Ispat Ltd. 5 Chhatisgarh State Electricity Board (CSEB). 6 M/s Chhatisgarh Mineral Development Corporation Limited (CMDCL) 7 Tamil Nadu State Electricity Board, 8 M/s Madhya Pradesh State Mining Corporation Limited 9 M/s Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation 10 M/s Metals and Minerals Trading Corporation Limited. 11 Haryana Power Generation Corp Ltd 12 M/s Orissa Mining Corporation 13 M/sAndhra Pradesh Mineral Development Corp 14 M/s Power Finance Corporation 15 M/s Chaman Metaliks Ltd. 16 M/sBankura DRJ Mining Manufacturers Co. Pvt. Ltd. 17 M/s Jindal Steel & Power Ltd. 18 M/s Bhatia International Ltd. 19 M/s Andhra Pradesh Power Generation Corp. Ltd. 20 M/s Maharashtra State Mining Corporation Limited 21 M/s Jharkhand State Mineral Development Corporation Limited 22 Bihar Rajya Khanij Vikas Nigam 23 M/s Madhya Pradesh State Mineral Corporation Limited 23 Tenughat Vidyut Nigam Limited 24 M/s West Bengal Mineral Development & Trading Corporation Limited 26 M/s OCL India Ltd. 27 Jharkhand State Electricity Board 28 Government of NCT of Delhi

(b): The blocks allocated to the following companies, which had not started production of coal, have been de-allocated by the Government :

Name of the company	Name of the coal blocks
i) M/s Kalinga Power Corporation Ltd	Utkal-A
ii) M/s Talcher Mining Pvt Ltd.	Utkal-Bl
iii) M/s Lloyd Metals and Engineers Ltd	Takli-Jena-Belora North
iv) M/s Garuda Clays Ltd.	West of Umeria
v) Shree Radhe Industries	Panchbahani

(c): The name of the companies which have started production are given below:

SI.No.	Name of the company	Name of coal block	No. of coal blocks in production
1	M/s RPG Industries/CESC Ltd	Sarshatali	1
2	M/s INDALCO	Talabira-I	1
3.	M/s West Bengal State Electricity Board/ M/S West Bengal Power Dev. Corporation	Tara East Tar a West	2
4	M/S BLA Inudtries	Goti tori a(East) Gotitoria(West)	2
5	M/s Jindal Steel and Power Ltd	Gare Palma IV/1	1
6	M/s Monet Ispat Ltd	Gare Palma IV/5	1
7	M/s Punjab State Electricity Board	Panchwara Central	1
8	M/s Jayaswal Neeco Ltd	Gare Palma IV/4	1

9 M/s Prakash Industries Ltd Chotia 1

(d) to (e) : Coal extracted from small isolated pockets allotted to private companies can be sold to local industrial units as per law. Also, in certain force majeure situation, coal from captive blocks can be sold to approved end users with the permission of Government.